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THE FLOWER SHOW.

A Brilliant Collection of Chrysanthemums Promised for the Exhibition To-Day.

The second annual chrysanthemum and floral exhibition, in this city, will open this evening at Tomlinson Hall. Mayor Deacy will deliver the welcome and Mr. J. D. Carmody, of Evansville, president of the society, will give the response and opening address. A fine musical programme will follow by Mr. Wm. Zumpfe's orchestra. The hall and corridors are elaborately and tastefully decorated with flags and banners, and wild daisies and holly, with wreaths of green are used in profusion. The special attractions for to-night will be prize floral pieces. One is for the best collection and arrangement of decorative plants; the second, the best design of a fashionable silk hat; the third, the best collection of cut roses in vases. The next is for the best standing star and the last is for the best floral cross inscribed "Ben Hur." The collection will number over 2,000 of these beautiful as well as popular plants, and the florists are especially enthusiastic about the new flower, the "Mrs. Albion Hardy," which is entirely unlike any of the others. One of these will be on exhibition. Florists from Long Island and New York, from other States, and nearly every florist in this State will contribute to the collection. Visitors last year felt more than repaid in attending, and went many times. This year the show will be better than last, for that was the florist's first experience and many improvements have been made.

New hatsacks at Wm. L. Elder's.

MINOR CITY MATTERS.

To-Day's Doings.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY KNIGHTS OF LABOR—Hague Hall, morning and afternoon.
CHRYSANTHEMUM EXHIBITION—Tomlinson Hall, day and evening.
MUNICIPALITY'S PAINTING, CHRIST ON CALVARY—Hymn Church, day and evening.
GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Mrs. Langtry, evening.
ENGLISH OPERA HOUSE—George H. Adams, Pantomime, evening.
PARK THEATRE—"A Living Lie," afternoon and evening.

Local News Notes.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to Charles S. Voorhees and Fanny B. Valen, Franklin Simmons and Lizzie Winsted, William Trel and Mary J. Egan, and Edward S. Harding and Emma Messick.

The annual meeting of the Indianapolis Benevolent Society was adjourned to Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The annual meeting of the Chrysanthemum Society will be held the same afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. A full attendance of all members is requested.

Personal and Society.

Mrs. H. S. Tucker will entertain friends this evening with a reception.
Mrs. Charles P. Penfield, of Saratoga, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Livingston Dunlap.

Miss Mary O'Leary, of Chicago, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ray Williams, on North Delaware street.

Mrs. C. Gordon Hall, of Lafayette, is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Cooper, on Plum street for a few weeks.
Miss Addie Grandin, of Louisville, Ky., arrived yesterday to visit Mrs. J. L. Fletcher on North Meridian street.

Mrs. W. Jacquelin Holiday has issued cards for a reception on Saturday, from 5 to 9 o'clock, in honor of the Misses Ritzinger.

Mrs. Joel Ingersoll and Mrs. Will Moore, of Lafayette, will be in the city to-day to attend the chrysanthemum show and visit friends.

An entertainment will be given this evening at the Pearl-street kindergarten by a number of young people for the benefit of the kindergarten.

The members of Grace Cathedral are making preparations for a reception to be given to the pastor, Rev. George E. Swan, and bride, on Thursday evening, the 22d, at Bishop Knickerbocker's residence on the Circle.

At the Literary Club, last night, the Rev. N. C. Hyde read an admirable paper on "American Civilization and Its Critics," the topic being suggested by Matthew Arnold's criticism of America. Mr. Hyde's paper was pronounced to be one of the best ever read before the club.

Mr. J. H. Hildreth and family left yesterday for Washington, D. C., to reside. Mr. Hildreth will be connected with the Associated Press in that city. Mr. and Mrs. Hildreth have occupied a prominent position in church and social circles here for many years and their departure is regretted by many friends.

The statement recently made that Mr. Samuel W. Watson, proprietor of the Clinton House, Kokomo, and formerly the cashier of Harrison's Bank here, was dead, was an error. He has been confined to his room for some time with a dangerous attack of rheumatism. While still low, he shows signs of improving.

A reception will be given to Mrs. James Adams and family at the residence of Mrs. W. Marmon, No. 518 North Delaware street, Mrs. Marmon will be assisted by Mrs. W. R. Evans, Mrs. J. R. Evans and Mrs. G. H. Evans, of the First Church. Mrs. Adams will leave on Wednesday, for Brooklyn, to join Mr. Adams, who went some weeks ago.

The ladies of the Free Kindergarten and Children's Aid Society will give one of their monthly teas to-day and evening, from 3 to 5 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. Beck, No. 639 North Meridian street. Mrs. C. Wallis and Mrs. W. C. Griffith are at the head of the entertaining section, and they will be assisted by a competent corps of ladies. During the evening a programme will be rendered, in which such talent as Mrs. W. Scott, Miss Beaumont, Miss Maxwell, Miss Plaster, Mr. R. A. Newland, Mr. Maurice Butler and Mr. Will Taylor will take part.

AMUSEMENTS.

GRAND—MRS. LANGTRY AS LENA DESPARD. Few of the recently published works of fiction have been more generally read than Mr. F. C. Phillips's highly-colored novel "As in a Looking-glass." It is not a wholesome story, and it tells nothing particularly new, but it tells it in such a way as to excite and retain the interest of those who read for "distraction," as Edgar Salters says. The dramatized version was presented for the first time here at the Grand last night by Mrs. Langtry and her company. Curiosity to see an actress so much talked and written about, in such a part as Lena Despard, doubtless largely accounted for the presence of an audience that filled the theater above and below. The experience of the demi-mondaine can be tolerated on the stage, if not discussed in the drawing-room, otherwise "As in a Looking-glass" would have no reason for its existence as a theatrical production. Mrs. Langtry's Lena Despard is the best impersonation she has given, in this city, at least. The lighter scenes, particularly those with Fontenbras, her co-adventurer, she did excellently, and when there was a necessity for the display of stronger feeling, she showed much intelligence and not a little force. In such a part as this, her mannerisms, which marred more pretentious impersonations, are almost entirely lost sight of. As the professional expression goes, "who looked the part," and her costumes were marvels of gorgeousness and taste. Mr. Charles Coghlan does not impress one as being as great an actor as his reputation makes him, for he is staid, awkward, and apparently careless at times. His Fontenbras is original and strongly marked, however. The support, otherwise, averaged well.

ENGLISH OPERA HOUSE.

There was a good audience to see George H. Adams and his company in "Ha, She, Him and Her," a play that is styled pantomimical comedy. Mr. Adams's long and popular career as a pantomimic clown gives him an adaptability for such parts as "Toby Periwinkle," the country lad. His antics are mirth-provoking, and, unlike the many who interpret that class of acting, personates the happy medium between staidity and broad burlesque. Mr. Adams has succeeded in giving to the stage a specialty which he can claim as his own. There is enough in the story of the play to interest one. It is strengthened by situations that give the vocalists a chance, which Miss Foma Hanton uses to the best advantage. Miss Carrie Francoise, the young lady of the story, possesses merit that deserves a better showing than she is able to make as Claire Kingdom. What she does is done with pleasing effect. Mr. Adams and his company will repeat their performance to-night and to-morrow afternoon and evening.

PARK THEATRE—"A LIVING LIE."

Mr. Harry Amier, a versatile character comedian, began a week's engagement at the Park yesterday. "A Living Lie," which was presented, is a sensational comedy-drama of a rather higher grade than such plays run, and it gives Mr. Amier ample opportunity to display his ability. He appears in three different characterizations and does them all well, his negro and Irish impersonations being particularly good. Miss Francis Amier, who has an excellent voice and uses it with good effect, and Miss Larkelle, who is a chipper subterfuge, assumed the other leading parts. The specialties introduced excellently pleased the audience yesterday very much. "A Living Lie" will run until Friday, when Mr. Amier's other play, "Counterfeit," will be given for the rest of the week.

"VIRGINUS" IN MODERN COSTUME.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 11.—A novel scene was afforded at the Grand Opera-house, to-night, when, owing to a delay in the arrival of baggage, Mr. Frederick Ward and his company played the first three acts of "Virginus" in modern dress, without make-up. The effect was at first somewhat surprising, but was soon unnoticed in the excellence of the acting. Mr. Ward made a speech, in which he asked the audience of the audience, and their reception of his remarks was most enthusiastic. The costumes arrived in time for the fourth act.

NOTES.

To-night the Tennessee Warblers will sing at the Central-avenue M. E. Church. Their concert will consist in songs and choruses that will please.

At the box-office of the Grand, this morning, will begin the advance sale of seats for the engagement of that excellent comedian, Mr. N. C. Goodwin, the latter part of the week. On Thursday evening and Saturday matinee his new piece, "Royal Revenge," and "Confusion" will be given as a double bill. Friday and Saturday evenings another double bill, "Lead Me Five

Shillings" and "Turned Up." A large demand for seats may be anticipated, as Goodwin is very popular here.

GENERAL HARRISON'S MONDAY.

It is Spent in Receiving a Few Visitors and Attending to Correspondence.

General Harrison passed yesterday very quietly at his residence, receiving a number of calls from his neighbors and home friends and reading his correspondence. It required an express wagon to haul the bundles of letters and bags of newspapers of which his mail consisted that had arrived since Saturday. There were about fifteen hundred letters and several bags of newspapers. He has on hand over seven thousand unanswered letters and telegrams. Among his telegrams is one from ex-Senator Warner Miller warmly thanking him for his telegram of condolence, and stating that it was received just in time to be read at a rousing patriotic meeting at Herkimer, N. Y., and that his definition of the Governorship was swallowed up in the greater victory. He stated that his is not a house of mourning, but rejoicing over the national victory. A beautiful floral present was received from William Henry Harrison Minge, of Mobile, Ala. It was a floral log cabin constructed of reeds and roofed with white and yellow choruses, daisies and roses, and around the cabin was a miniature garden filled with ferns and grasses. Last night the Harrison family were out driving and took occasion to call upon the General, and were warmly received, each one given a hearty hand-shake. The General said the time for speech-making was over, but he gave the young men some good advice and admirable instructions as to the value of well-doing.

DEATH OF WELL-KNOWN CITIZENS.

Dr. Culbertson Drops Dead on the Street from Rheumatism of the Heart.

Dr. J. W. Culbertson, the oculist and aurist, fifty-eight years old, fell dead, yesterday morning, near Short's drug store. A moment before he was in the store talking cheerfully and showing no symptoms of serious ill health, although he had suffered some during the night. Rheumatism, affecting the heart, seems to have been the cause of his death. Dr. Culbertson had a reputation as a skilled practitioner in the treatment of diseases to which he gave special attention. He was also noted, to some extent, for his literary efforts, which were chiefly in the line of poetry. He published a volume of poems which he dedicated to his wife. His family lived on Second street, and he and his wife spent the Sundays with them. He was a graduate of the Ohio Medical College and practiced here for about fifteen years. The remains were sent to Richmond yesterday.

John Dury's Death.

John Dury, the retail shoe-dealer, who has for some time done business at 27 North Pennsylvania street, had been suffering from consumption for several years, and recently was greatly weakened by it. His friends did not expect he could live long, but his sudden death, which occurred yesterday afternoon, was quite unexpected. He leaves only a wife, having lost his son about two years since.

Meeting of Veterinarians.

The veterinarians who have diplomas from their schools of medicine met in Agricultural Hall, yesterday afternoon, to revise the organization they once had. But little attention was given to anything aside from electing officers and taking preliminary steps for perfecting the society's work. The officers chosen are: President—Dr. H. R. Macanley, Indianapolis. First Vice-president—Dr. T. L. Armstrong, Indianapolis. Second Vice-president—Dr. W. B. Wallace, Marion. Recording Secretary—Dr. J. C. Rodgers, Anderson. Corresponding Secretary—Dr. M. E. Knowles, Terre Haute. Treasurer—Dr. B. G. Orloff, Indianapolis. A committee, consisting of Drs. Armstrong, Davis and Orloff, was appointed to draft a constitution. A joint meeting of the society will be held in January.

New Business Enterprises.

The Lake Shore Canal and Improvement Company has been organized to promote the interests of East Chicago by having established there manufacturing, elevators and all other businesses that belong to a progressive community. It is also the purpose of the company to construct and maintain a canal. Yesterday articles of incorporation were filed with the Secretary of State fixing the capital stock at \$2,000,000, divided into 100,000 shares. The directors are Thomas W. Johnston, Wm. A. Gorman, Robert E. Todd, James O'Neil, Jacob Land-croft, J. J. Reynolds and C. Reine. Articles for the Perkinsville Natural-gas and Oil Company were also filed. The capital stock is \$5,000, and the directors are S. B. and Luther Lea, O. A. House, T. A. Dean and W. M. Garretson.

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On next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, from 9 A. M. till 4 P. M., there will be an exhibit of china and water-color painting of Mr. Paul Putzke and studio, No. 10, 12 and 14 North Mississippi street. The public invited to call.

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Ladies' all-wool Scarlet Underwear only 58 cents; worth \$1.
Ladies' Merino Underwear only 39 cents; worth 60 cents.
Children's Underwear at all prices, from 10 cents up.
Blankets, good quality, only 78 cents a pair; Bed Comforts only 69 cents each.
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10 pieces Black all-wool Henrietta Cloth at 39 cents a yard; worth 60 cents.
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